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PROCLAMATION

BY THE

Governor of the State of Texas

TO ALL TO WHOM THESE PRESENTS SHALL COME:

June 11, 1971

I am vetoing and filing with the Secretary of State, House Bill 1807,
62nd Legislature, Regular Session, for the following reasons:

This is a local bill which makes possession of a high-powered rifle or a shotgun with buckshot while in control of a dog prima facie evidence of a violation of hunting deer with a dog.

Upon reconsideration of the harshness of this provision, the author has requested that I veto this bill.

House Bill 1807 was received on May 29, 1971, less than ten (10) days prior to the adjournment of the Regular Session of the 62nd Legislature. In accordance with Article IV, Section 14, of the Texas Constitution, I am filing this Proclamation together with the bill in the Office of the Secretary of State.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto signed my name officially and caused the Seal of State to be affixed hereto at Austin, this the 11th day of June, A. D., 1971

PRESTON SMITH

GOVERNOR OF TEXAS

By the Governor